

**United States Environmental Protection Agency
Criminal Investigation Division
Investigative Activity Report**

Case Number:

0203-0194

Case Title:

Port Imperial Ferry Corp ([REDACTED] - CWA)

Subject of Report:

2016-11-22 Telephone Conversation with [REDACTED]

Reporting Office:

Edison, NJ, Resident Office

Activity Date:

November 22, 2016

Reporting Official and Date:

[REDACTED]
Special Agent

09-DEC-2016, Signed by: [REDACTED]

Approving Official and Date:

[REDACTED]
Special Agent in Charge
12-DEC-2016, Approved by: [REDACTED]
Assistant Special Agent in Charge

SYNOPSIS

On November 22, 2016, SA [REDACTED] received a call from [REDACTED] in reference to the possible dumping of sewage at NY Waterways.

DETAILS

On November 22, 2016, at approximately 12:58 pm, SA [REDACTED] received a call from [REDACTED] (Santiago) stating that a worker [REDACTED] was in contact with at NY Waterways advised [REDACTED] that the pump was broken at the docks and workers were currently dumping sewage from the ferries directly into the Hudson River at that time. SA [REDACTED] did not direct Santiago to request information from current employees at NY Waterways.

At approximately 1:30 pm, SA [REDACTED] arrived at 1500 Avenue at Port Imperial. SA [REDACTED] observed a green hose stretching from one of the boats down the walkway into a fenced in area with a restricted area sign on the front. SA [REDACTED] also observed a black hose coming from the fenced in area and stretching along the fence line over the rocks onto another walkway.

SA [REDACTED] did not hear any pumping from where the boats were docked. SA [REDACTED] did hear one pump running; it was housed in a fenced in area near the pedestrian walkway. SA [REDACTED] continued to walk around the area looking for any signs of hoses being inserted directly into the Hudson River but was unable to observe any from land. SA [REDACTED] took several pictures and videos at the site. At this time, surveillance was terminated and SA [REDACTED] left the area.

ATTACHMENT

Pic 1
Pic 2
Pic 3
Pic 4
Pic 5
Pic 6
Pic 7
Pic 8
Pic 9